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Even the ghosts will now stalk in the Lormer case.

Arbor day, a day which makes prose poets out of Vermont governors.

And they are actually going to sell liquor in Fayston! Thus does the little burg enter into competition with Montpelier.

They haven't dragged the United States into a war with Japan yet; but they are pulling and hauling. Uncle Sam, don't budge!

As a measure of the importance of Barre to a railroad, note that the Central Vermont railroad hauled fifty-four cars to Barre in one train yesterday. That indicates no small amount of freight incoming and out-going.

It looks as if the inevitable law of supply and demand were working in grand opera. Is the supply of Curcio exceeding the demand, that the noted singer is being withheld except for a "concert tour" in the United States?

As the "father of three-cent street railway fare in America," ex-Mayor Tom Johnson of Cleveland shall be known—but not felt in any wide section of the country, for three-cent street railway fare is more or less a beautiful dream thus far.

It now transpires that Representative David J. Foster is only one of several American delegates to the international agricultural conference in Rome. The person in Washington, who first sent out the information, overlooked the minor details, apparently.

The Boston & Albany railroad replaced a bridge with a steel structure in 49 seconds last Saturday. The Boston & Maine, when out to beat the record, should try it out on the Montpelier & Wells River branch. Perhaps we can get rid of a few old wooden bridges as the result of the experiment.

Theodore Roosevelt has announced that he doesn't want anything in the line of official honors from the American people. Perhaps the suggestion may prove reassuring to a few flurried souls in the Wall street district, but it seems to the mass of American people that one of these days Roosevelt will again be in the harness, though not in the office of chief executive.

The name of Henry C. Whitaker, formerly of Barre, now appears as "managing editor" of American Stone Trade, a journal devoted to the stone interests of the United States and published in Chicago. Heretofore, Mr. Whitaker's position has been one of the editors of the magazine; and his many friends in this vicinity unite in extending congratulations on the higher position which the new designation indicates.

The alumni of the university of Vermont have a good list of candidates, from which to make their annual selection of alumni trustees with State Treasurer E. H. Deavitt, Judge George M. Powers of the supreme court and Charles D. Watson, recently Democratic candidate for governor of Vermont, as the nominees. The trouble is to decide which is the best of the very good candidates.

If Rutland secures an appropriation of \$275,000 for a federal building and site, the "Second City" will be assured of a magnificent structure. That amount, allowing \$25,000 for a site, will provide for the finest federal building in Vermont without doubt. It will be built of Rutland marble, of course. Rutland would not be getting fair treatment if any other material should be used than the stone which has contributed so much to the progress of that city and Rutland county as a whole.

THE DAY OF THE YOUNG.

That youth is worthy of some consideration is found by the writer of the following paragraph in a Vermont exchange last week:

"Every now and then some young person in Pomfret is coming to the surface in a manner that is a great credit to the town."

The youths should take courage in the belief that Vermont is not entirely an "old man's" state. Recognition comes slowly in many sections yet; but in others it is not necessary to be weighed down with years and dust before one is considered in a position to bear reasonable responsibility.

EDWIN A. NUTT'S DEATH.

The news of the death of Edwin A. Nutt of Montpelier was received yesterday by Vermont newspaper men with a sense of personal loss, a loss which was all the keener because of its unexpectedness. By them all, "Ed" Nutt was regarded as a friend as indeed he was, having a kindly feeling for all of them, generally a cheering word and always a hearty sympathy in their endeavors. But it is not alone among newspaper men that his death is sincerely mourned; wherever his occupations led him he gathered friends. Perhaps to attaches and officials in the State House at Montpelier over a hour



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period of years, he was the best known, outside of his co-workers in the newspaper field, as he had become a very familiar figure there through his position as official reporter in the House for four sessions and his assignment as legislative correspondent for various journals. Certainly, none of the writers at the press table had a wider acquaintance; and that wide acquaintance enlarges the circles of mourning friends at this time.

Current Comment

On the "Winning Side."

The Bellows Falls Times has given out some wonderfully strange advice in regard to the vote of the Vermont members of the upper branch of Congress on the Canadian reciprocity agreement. The Times is of the opinion that it would be good politics for Senators Page and Dillingham to vote for the measure and be on the "winning side." This might have been considered good politics years ago, but it was just such politics as this that brought politics into the questionable position which it now finds itself. There is no virtue in being on the winning side just for the sake of being there. The Messenger is earnestly desirous that the Taft-Fielding agreement receive favorable action both at Washington and Ottawa but it is just as desirous that Vermont's senators cast their vote agreeably to their own best judgment as to what shall be for the better interests of the country at large, as opposed to mere local desirabilities. Being on the winning side on any question for the sake of being there and at the sacrifice of judgment, is a menace to all institutions. Government would be as are the shifting sands and voters like sheep in a pasture. The voice of protest is not to be despised and an honest vote is more to be preferred than a favorable one.

The Messenger hopes that both senators will find themselves on the winning side if that side be for reciprocity; it believes that if they interpret conditions aright, they will be on that side, even if it were a self-evident fact that reciprocity were to be defeated, it would not want them to be on the winning side, neither does it think that The Times would under these conditions.—St. Albans Messenger.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

There will be a social dance at the grange hall Wednesday evening from 8 to 12.

Miss Myrtle Seaver entered, yesterday, upon her work as teacher in the Ayer street school in Barre.

Misses Mary H. Taylor and Sarah A. Taylor are in town, acting in the interests of the N. E. O. P. They are staying at H. S. Rury's.

The regular meeting of Fraternity lodge of Rebekahs will be held on Thursday evening. The business session will be followed by a social hour. A full attendance is desired.

The Ladies' Missionary society of the Congregational church will hold their annual Good Friday thank offering meeting on Friday of this week, at the church parlors at 2:30 p. m. A new feature will be a supplementary social hour from 3:30 to 4:30, during which time new sugar will be served. For this there will be a slight charge. The proceeds to go into the missionary fund. Everybody is invited to attend.

EAST BARRE.

Bert Kimball is visiting at Frank Peck's.

Frank Chandler of Barton is visiting relatives in town.

H. L. Houghton was in Marshfield one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peck and son, Merton, were in Cabot Monday.

Eldon Perkins is working at Hazen Bassett's in Marshfield for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morse of St. Albans are visiting his brother, George Morse.

The school in town begins April 24, with Miss Alice Boyd of Bethel as teacher.

Principal Perley A. Gilmore of Cabot visited at H. L. Houghton's one day last week. "The Trouble at Satterlee's" is a popular play, full of clever humor and brilliant dialogue. Hear it Easter Monday evening in opera hall. A hall and supper follow the play. Grand performance at 9:15.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

Bates College Musical Clubs on Wednesday Evening.

The Biddeford, Me., Record says of the Bates College Musical club which appears at the Barre opera house Wednesday evening, April 12, as follows: "The Bates mandolin and glee clubs appeared at the McArthur auditorium last evening, furnishing a program that was a delight to an audience packing floor and balcony. This event must be accorded a place in the very front rank of college club entertainments. The program was presented with an enthusiasm that kept the audience on edge throughout.

"The concert began with a piano solo by Mr. Tebbetts, which was of sufficient excellence to merit a hearty round of applause. Following, the glee came on and gave Culbertson's 'Yachting Glee,' and singing it so brilliantly as to arouse the deepest interest of the audience. Then Mr. Davis got an excellent turn from the patrons of the event by reading one of Richard Harding Davis' compositions and after that the program went on with gem after gem, outburst after outburst of applause, and encore after encore, up to a rich and satisfying finish."

Virginia Harned Coming to Barre Opera House Soon.

One of the high class attractions soon to be seen at the Barre opera house will be Miss Virginia Harned in her latest successful play, "The Woman He Married" by Herbert Bashford. Miss Harned has for some years enjoyed the reputation of being one of the leading emotional actresses of the American stage, and her new starring vehicle gives her an opportunity of displaying her ability in a totally new and unexpected direction. She has proven herself to be a well equipped thoroughly trained and true artist. Her touch and shading is so delicate in several of the principal scenes in "The Woman He Married," that one marvels at her penetrating powers. Her fine spirits and magnificent fury in some of these scenes are more felt than heard. In the role of Jeanne Dumont, she has made a great sacrifice. She is repaid with scores. To properly portray the resultant feeling requires the full mastery of all that is possible in dramatic interpretation. If she should fall below that standard, she would be a sore disappointment, but she does not. All the pent up misery and anguish of her bitter struggle to gain happiness, charged with a terrible injustice which rewards her splendid sacrifice, makes every word ring true with a heart touching sincerity. Miss Harned's voice is one of her chief attractions. Even when pitched the highest in the most intense dramatic moments, it remains smooth, soft and charming. Her voice carries to all portions of the house, with no apparent effort on the part of this distinguished artist. When she reaches the very height of her scorn or the very depth of her misery, she leaves the audience feeling that she has not exhausted her power, but has rather just touched upon that great wealth of emotion which she possesses. Miss Harned will be seen at the Barre opera house at an early date, for one night only.

WATERBURY.

Miss Hattie Billings of Rhode Island is employed by Mrs. J. E. Crosssett.

J. E. Crosssett, who is suffering with rheumatism, remains about the same.

Miss Beatrice Shonio of Stowe has been spending a few days with relatives and friends.

At the Methodist church Sunday, Rev. W. C. Johnson preached his farewell sermon to a congregation who felt very sorry over his leaving this parish. The choir rendered Easter music and an Easter concert was given at noon. Those taking part in the concert were: Misses Demerit, E. Crosssett, Helen Cassidy, Lestina Bulwell, Eva Foster, Beatrice Chipman, Clayton Jones, Robert Guyette, Belle Randall and Marion Cooley. The successful affair was in charge of Mrs. D. Hopkins, Mrs. Houghton, Mrs. Guyette and Mrs. Crosssett.

Jingles and Jest

To the Head of the Class.

Teacher—Tommy, what is a simile?

Tommy—I forgot now.

Teacher—Well, Tommy, if you said: "My hours at school are bright as sunshine," what figure of speech would that be?

Tommy—Irony.—Silent Partner.

A Toast.

Ye have drunk, O my friends, to the victors,

Ye have toasted the valiant and strong;

To the great of the earth ye have drunk in your mirth.

To the wise ye have lifted your song. It is well—they are worthy, my brothers.

As aught that the firmament spans, But I pledge you a health to the others.

A health to the "also rans."

To the men who went down in the struggle,

To the runners who finished unplaced, To the weak and the young, the unknown, the unused,

The depraved, the oppressed, the disgraced.

Ye are blooded, developed, completed; They were bred without stamina, class;

'Tis to them, the surpassed, the defeated, I bow as I drain my glass.

Who are ye that should dare to reject them?

Do ye know what the handicaps weighed?

Did ye suffer the pain, run the race, stand the strain,

That we scuff at the pace that they made?

It may be that they ran overweighted, It may be they were left at the post—Far or near, 'tis to them, the ill fated,

I bow as I drink my toast.

They have lost, they are ill, they are weary;

Ye have won, ye are well, ye are strong.

By the drops that they bled, by the tears that they shed,

By your mirth, by your wine, by your song.

By all that has e'er helped to sweeten Your lives; by your hopes, by your plans,

I pledge you the health of the beaten, The health of the "also rans."

—Los Angeles Herald.

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RANDOLPH.

Henry Yail, who has been passing the winter in Florida, has returned home.

Mrs. Will Little was operated upon for appendicitis at the sanatorium Monday.

Mrs. Spooner, who was the nurse for Mrs. S. H. Howard, is seriously ill at the Howard home on Forrest street.

Miss Annie Messer, who has been with Mrs. G. E. Cushman for a week, has returned to her home in Barre.

W. R. Messer left Monday morning for Barre to arrange for his millinery opening there on Wednesday of this week.

Miss Minnie Carpenter has decided to go to Middlebury to remain for an indefinite time with an aunt, and will leave here this week.

Miss Helen Davis, a normal school student, went to Windsor Monday to substitute as teacher in a school near town for a short time.

Mrs. C. J. Rumlall was seriously ill Sunday, but is somewhat improved, though still in the care of a trained nurse, Miss Grace Pitkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sinclair of West Lebanon, were the guests of Mrs. Lizzie Booth over Sunday and on Monday visited Mr. and Mrs. Ned Buck.

Carroll Granger of Barre was with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Granger over Sunday and returned to his home accompanied by his son, who had been here two weeks, on Sunday night.

Charles N. McCall, who was detained here from going to New York, is critically ill with pneumonia at Elm cottage. A specialist was summoned from New York City Saturday. He returned Sunday but gave little or no hope of his recovery. Miss Gertrude Hernandez and Arthur Hernandez have been summoned and have arrived to remain indefinitely.

At a meeting of the Randolph grange on Saturday night there was a good attendance and the program was in charge of Miss Kate Connolly and Mrs. Russell Burridge, and consisted of musical selections and reading followed by several discussions upon the following subjects: "Parcel Post," by Russell Burridge; "Shall We Raise or Buy Our Western Horses?" Judge D. H. Morse; "Purchasing Seed at Seed Time," A. M. Vaughan and "Trials of the Milk Man," by John Curran. The commissioners of agriculture will be in Randolph on April 25 and will give a lecture at such place as the grange provides, which will probably be the hall used by them for their meetings.

Graves in China.

There are various kinds of graves in China. The graves are dug generally from twelve feet to thirteen feet below the ground, while, according to an old custom, the mounds of the graves of emperors were thirty feet in height, those of territorial lords fifteen feet and those of barons without territories and of lord stewards eight feet, while for inferior officials and common people mounds only four feet in height were erected. Pines were planted on the tombs of emperors, a species of oak on those of territorial lords, a species of willow on those of barons and lord stewards and elm trees on those of inferior officials. Although there are no territorial lords and lord stewards now in China, men of high rank still have their tombs constructed in accordance with this old custom.

He Loved His Enemies.

James MacNeill Whistler looked upon life as upon a kind of warfare and was never so happy as when he was quarreling with somebody. He is quoted as having said when asked if he did not have many friends: "Yes, I have many friends, and I am grateful to them, but those whom most I love are my enemies, not in a Biblical sense. Oh, no, but because they keep one always busy, always up to the mark, either fighting them or proving them idle."

Then He Sulked.

"Mrs. Guchley remarked to me that it must be pleasant to be married to a clever man," said Proudley's wife. "And what did you say?" queried Proudley. "I told her, of course, that I didn't know; that I had only been married once."

Suffering becomes beautiful when one bears great calamities with cheerfulness, not through insensibility, but through greatness of mind.—Aristotle.

PERSISTENT BEGGARS.

The More Egyptian Mendicants Get the More They Demand.

In Egypt one should never give baksheesh except for actual services rendered. Resist calmly but firmly every attempt at extortion. Never pay till the stipulated service is finished; then, after you have paid a little more than the bargain called for, turn a deaf ear to the protestations and entreaties that always follow. Bear in mind that the more baksheesh you give the more clamorous becomes the applicant. Real thanks and gratitude must not be expected for gifts.

A friend of mine once broke one of these rules just to see what would happen. As we passed through a little mud village twenty miles from Cairo he gave a sturdy beggar a millieme (half a cent). This beggar, accompanied by others, followed us to the edge of the village, asking for more. My friend then gave him a plaster (5 cents).

They followed us a hundred yards or so and were more persistent than before. When they showed a disposition to go back he gave them 5 plasters. They followed us half a mile and became very clamorous. I was afraid we should get into trouble and wanted him to stop it, but when they began to lag he gave them 20 plasters. They followed us two miles, and the experiment might have ended seriously had we not met a company of travelers with a dragoman, who sent the beggars about their business. This may help you to understand Egyptian character.—Christian Herald.

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